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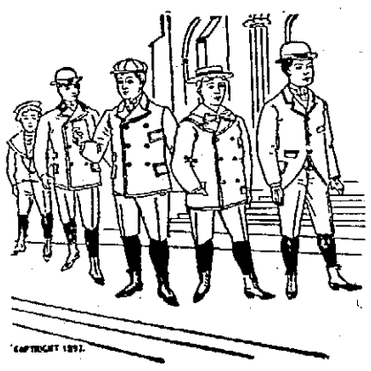

At a moderate price has become a necessity. We think that we are showing not only the largest variety of styles, but also the best made goods for less money than any house in the city. Beautiful styles and low prices go hand in hand and range from $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00.

Men's Suits.

Our Spring styles in Men's Suits are the talk of the city, perfect in make and fit, they have all the appearance of custom suits, at a saving of many good dollars. Special values at $5, $6, $7.50, $10, $12, $15.

Young Men's Suits.

In Young Men's or Boys' Suits, ages 14 to 19, we are showing all the latest styles in extra good values, browns, olives, black, in all grades, ranging in price from $4.00, $5.00, $6.00, $7.50, $8.00, $10.00.

Special Values in Men's and Boys' Dress and Working Pants.

GOOD GOODS AT LOW PRICES. Heer Bros 307 & 309 CHILLICOTHE STREET.

Men's Shoes.

Have you seen our line of Men's Shoes for spring wear? If not, you should see them, as we have an elegant line to show you both in black and colors. Our line of Welt Shoes at $3 00, $4.00 and $5.00 is the talk of the town, and they should be, as they are, shoes of merit, the best styles, proper colors and the best values possible for the money. Ask to see them.

Men's Black Vici lace, medium and wide toes...
Men's Black Vici congress, plain French toes...
Men's Black Calf congress, plain French toes...
Men's Black Calf lace and congress, medium capped toes...
Men's Chocolate Kid lace, vesting cloth tops, latest styles...
Men's Chocalate Kid lace, latest styles, all widths...
Men's Chocolate Kid lace and congress, plain French toes...
Men's Brown Russia Calf lace, newest styles...
$3.00.

Men's Patent Calf lace, new styles, a beauty at.....$3.50

Men's Golden Brown Kid lace, silk vesting cloth tops, latest styles, all widths...
Men's Chocolate Kid lace, full wide toes...
$4.00

Men's Patent Calf lace, latest styles, no better made...
Men's Black Vici Kid lace, silk vesting tops...
Men's Chocolate Kid lace, silk vesting tops, several styles of toes...
Men's Chocolate Kid lace, full round toes...
Men's Brown Willow Calf lace, full round toes.
Men's Light Shade Willow Calf Lace, brass eyelets, very nobby...
$5.00

You can't afford to buy your new Spring Shoes until you have first seen these shoes.

Anderson Brothers,

Home Factory Shoe Stores,

109 West Second St. 603 Chillicothe St.

Honors

Of war are much mitigated by the innate humor that springs eternal in the American breast.

This happened at Antietam:

Ike Doolittle and Lieut. Forrest were fighting side by side when a piece of a shell tore off one of Forrest's feet. He called to Doolittle to help him back to the ambulance.

Doolittle was toting him back, like a sack of meal, with his head hanging over his shoulder, when a cannon ball came along and took away Forrest's head.

Doolittle didn't know this and kept carrying him back. Private Canfield came along and said to Doolittle:

"What are you carrying that for?"

"It's Lieut. Forrest," said Doolittle, "I'm carrying him back to the ambulance."

"What can they do with him at the ambulance, with his head shot off," asked Canfield.

"His head?" shouted Doolittle; "*Why the blamed fool said it was his foot.*"

People who can't tell their heads from their feet, probably couldn't tell the difference between OUR SHOES and the ordinary kind—all others can. Do you catch on? Yours for discrimination

Chas. Winter's

Shoe and Hat House,

Opp. Post Office.

VOLUNTEERS

Called for by President McKinley This Afternoon.

One Hundred and Twenty-Five Thousand Men Wanted.

Enlistment Will Be for Two Years If Not Sooner Discharged.

Troops Wanted Will Be Taken From the Various States and Territories According to Population.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., April 23.—The President has issued a proclamation calling for 125,000 vounteers to serve two years, if not sooner discharged.

In the proclamation for troops, after reciting the action of congress in reference to Cuba and the act to provide a volunteer army, the President says: "Now therefore I, William McKinley, President of the United States, by virtue of the power vested in me by the constitution and laws and deeming sufficient occasion to exist, have thought fit to call for, and hereby do call for, volunteers to the aggregate number of 125,000 in order to carry into effect the said resolutions, the same to be apportioned as far as practicable among the several states and territories and District of Columbia, according to the population, and to serve two years, unless sooner discharged. Details for this object will be immediately communicated to the proper authorities through the war department. In witness whereof, etc.," (Signed) WM. M'KINLEY, Pres. JOHN SHERMAN, Sec'y of State.

CALL FOR TROOPS

Will Be Issued by the President Today---125,000 Wanted.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 23 —The President will today sign the proclamation calling for volunteer troops. To avoid undue excitement on Sunday the call will not be issued on the states till Monday. It is said the call will be for one hundred and twenty-five thousand.

BONDS

Will Be Issued to Defray War Expenses.

Revenue Measure Agreed Upon by the Ways and Means Committee This Afternoon.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washingotn, D. C., April 23.—The Republican members of the Ways and Means committee have agreed on a war revenue bill. It will be introduced in the House today. It includes a five hundred million loan 3 per cent 10-20 bonds; also a hundred million 3 per cent. certificates of indebtedness.

The revenue is expected to be a hundred million.

The tax on beer is increased to $2 a barrel, with no rebate for unused beer or destroyed stamps. The tax on tobacco and snuff is increased to twelve cents a pound.

The tax on cigars is $4 and $2; on cigarettes the same. Half that amount is to be paid on stock on hand. A stamp tax on proprietary medicines, perfumery and cosmetics is provided for.

Paints, oils, lead, varnishes and complete line of brushes at Sommer Bros. 23-3t

We can fit you out with a surrey at such a low price that it will surprise you. STAHLER BROS.

Ice cream tonight and Sunday at the Kendall Block bakery.

Choice trouserings at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

ALMOST CERTAIN

That Secretary of State Sherman Will Soon Resign.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 23.—From the most reliable sources it is learned that Secretary of State Sherman will resign his position. Assistant Secretary Day will probably succeed him.

IN THE OFFING

The United States Fleet Can Be Seen by Havana Crowds.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Havana, April 23.—The United States fleet can be seen in the offing. Crowds are watching the naval spectacle.

Volunteers to Go to Chickmaugua.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 23.—It is understood that the volunteer army will be concentrated at Chickamauga park.

ON MONDAY

The President Will Ask Congress for Formal Declaration of War.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 23.—The President, on Monday, will ask congress to make a formal declaration of war.

CAPTURED

Was a Spanish Freighter by the Key West Fleet

While the Spaniards Hailed the American Ship Shenandoah Off the English Coast.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Philadelphia, April 23. — The maritime Exchange has received a dispatch from Key West today, saying that the steamer Pedro, a Spanish freighter, 1,892 tons, from Antwerp to Pensacola, was brought in, having been captured by a United States war ship.

TOPEKA SAFE

Report That She Foundered Proves to Be a Mistake.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

London, Eng., April 23.—A report reached here that the United States cruiser Topeka, formerly the Diogenes, which sailed Monday, had been sunk by a collision with the British bark Albatross. News was received this morning that there was no truth in the rumor. The vessel that collided with the Albatorss has been identified. The Topeka is sailing for New York.

AMERICAN SHIP

Reported Captured by Spanish War Ships off English Coast.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Antwerp, April 23.—It is reported here that the American ship Shenandoah had been captured on the English coast by Spanish warships.

SPANISH MAIL BOAT

Will Be Captured By the United States Pacific Squadron.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

London, April 23. — A dispatch from Singapore says the Spanish mail boat Isla De Mondanao is likely to be captured by the United States cruisers before she reaches Manilla.

PROTEST FILED

By the Owners of the Buena Ventura Alleging Illegal Seizure.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Liverpool, April 23.—The owners of the Buena Ventura filed a protest claiming the capture as illegal because the time of the ultimatum to Spain had not expired.

Army Reorganization Bill.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 23.—The House met at 10 a. m. and considered the army reorganization bill.

Reorganization Bill Passed.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 23.—The House passed the army reorganization bill at 1:45 p. m.

Senate Adjourns.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 23.—The senate adjourned to 12:45. No business was done.

IN DOUBT

Is the Fate of the American Liner, Paris.

London Special Reports Her Capture by the Spanish

But the Rumor Generally Discredited on This Side of the Ocean.

The Ship Had Over a Million Dollars Worth of Arms and Ammunition for This Country.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

London, April 23.—It is reported here that the American liner Paris had been captured. Another report is that she is returning to Southampton. Both are discredited. The Paris should be well out on her course. She passed the Lizard yesterday evening.

The Paris sailed from Southampton several days ago, loaded with arms and ammunition for the American fleet. She had 150 passengers on board.

IN DOUBT

Conflicting Reports From London in Reference to the Paris.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

London, April 23.—The evening papers have dispatches from Belfast saying that the Paris was captured off the Irish coast by a Spanish cruiser.

Later.—It is believed here that the telegrams from Belfast are simply repetitions of the report of yesterday evening, which has been found to be untrue.

Last Heard From the Paris.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

London, April 23.—The only actual information about the Paris is that she passed the Lizard yestedray evening.

NAVAL MILITIA

Of Various States Called Out to Man Auxiliary Cruisers.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 23.—The naval militia in the following states have been called to man the auxiliary ships at once: The New York militia to the Yankee: Marlyand to the Dixie; Michigan to the Yosemite, and Massachusetts to the Prairie.

Foreign Gunboat Sighted.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Belfast, Ireland, April 23.—A foreign gunboat passed east of Instrahbull Island, on the north coast of Ireland, at eight o'clock this morning.

Somers Ready for Sea.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Falmouth, April 23.—The United States torpedo boat Somers is ready for sea. It is difficult to get a crew for her.

Not Warranted by Law.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Frankfort, Ky., April 23.—The court of appeals is unanimous that Circuit Judge Cantrell's order, disbarring Ex-Attorney-General Hendrick, was not warranted by law.

Good meals served at the Kendall Block bakery and restaurant.

Always good shoes for litlte money at Lehman's.

Trade that old surrey to Stahler Bros. for a new one. 18-6t

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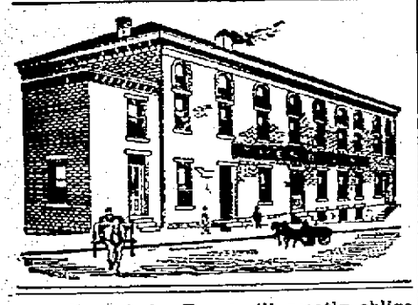

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J. L. PATTERSON, Editor and Manager.

The few citizens who read the Blade can get some idea of the ability of the council members by attending the council meetings. The boys in the council are mere pigmies on the floor. It is amusing how Herr Huber and Stanton play with them. Mr. Turley in the chair would make a law unto himself, were it not that Mr. Miller is unflinching in his decisions. Portsmouth never had a more honorable or conscientious solicitor. He is unprejudiced and straightforward in his decisions, and for this reason we believe the present council will be held within the bounds of reason.

The Third ward held the same view and sent him back. The high value set upon him by the council itself is shown by the fact that it has again honored him with its presidency. The campaign abuse of the Times has fallen flat and Mr. Turley stands higher in the estimation of the people than ever before.—Hard.

The editor of the Blade seems to be determined to have a little controversy over the wonderful popularity of Mr. Turley. He, like all other men, has his faults, but we have never said aught against him personally or privately. We called attention to the puerile and extravgant course of the council last year and said that he was in a large measure responsible for it. He ran in a ward having a Republican majority of 60, yet, with all manner of promises, with the expenditure of $75, as shown by reports on file at the court house, and perhaps as much more on the side contributed by friends, he was able to pull through by the small majority of 4, and was even glad to get that much. Were we in Mr. Turley's place we would call Sister Hard's attention to these facts and remind her that all her readers are not fools. Sister Hard's complimentary roasts are due to the fact that she does not know any better.

General Grosvenor, in the excited debate in the House last week made an attack on the Democratic party and declared that "this war will be fought under the banner of the Republican administartion or it will not be fought at all." This is rot of the worst kind. If this war is fought at all it will be fought under the flag of the United States.

General Grosvenor felt called on in the House on Monday to apologize or explain his foolish assertion that this was to be a Republican war or it would not be fought at all. He said he meant no reflection in his hasty remark; that he was delighted with the record the Democratic party had made, just as Democrats, we would remind him, were delighted with the record the Republican party made on Mr. Cleveland's Venezuelan message. There will be no sectional or political division, said Grosvenor, and in the response to the call to arms and in the necessary legislation to carry on the war the South and the North will be as one. That is the right kind of talk.—Pittsburg Post.

Since Grosvenor has apologized it leaves Sister Hard as still determined to exclude the Democrats from any of the honors to be gained in the present conflict. The funny part of the matter is that at the time Grosvenor was apologizing Sister Hard had to unloosen her corset strings to permit her patriotic feelings proper expansion.

There is much mystery about the movement of the Spanish fleet at Cape Verde islands. The news sent out, no doubt with the intent to reach this country via London and Madrid, is not to be accepted as for anything but deceptive purposes. It is believed at Washington that the fleet had sailed from Cape Verde, destination unknown. At Cape Verde the fleet is 3,700 miles from Havana, and cannot reach Porto Rico, if that is its destination, under ten or twelve days. Porto Rico is a thousand miles form Havana. The North Atlantic fleet is before Havana. The flying squadron could reach Porto Rico, where the Spaniards have large stores of coal, in eighty hours from the Chesapeake—long before it is possible for the Spanish fleet to reach there from Cape Verde. With Porto Rico seized and Havana captured or blockaded, as could be done by our fleet in short order, Spain would have no coal supply for her ships on this side of the ocean. What this means we have learned from our recent experience with the San Francisco, which, coming to New York from Liverpool, only, 3,500 miles distant, was obliged to put into Halifax for coal. The Spanish fleet at Cape Verde numbers some fast vessels, but the great part of the ships are slow, and one part of their mission is to convoy the torpedo boats. The movement of the Spanish fleet is inexplicable on the theory it purposes to give battle in the West Indies or defend Cuba or Porto Rico. The belief in official circles in Washington is that the Spaniards propose to lure us into European waters for our naval fighting. This would mean the practical abandonment of Cuba.

The Daily Times today stands at least 700 in the lead of the Daily Blade, and the Daily and Weekly Times go into as many different homes in Scioto and adjoining counties as all the other English papers published in Portsmouth. We always believed that a paper that stood up in defense of the rights of the people would get their support. We never were a tool for anybody, and having entered the newspaper business rather late in life we placed our faith in the people, and there it will stay until we go out of the newspaper business. No person of political sense but knows that the Times could obtain every dollar's worth of political patronage belonging to a Democratic paper, and hundreds of dollars more that the gang can voluntarily place in a paper that will sell its independence to Clark, Higgins & Co. No business man in this city can truthfully say we ever advised them not to advertise in the Blade, yet this decaying sheet has its employes and reporters importuning the business men to advertise in the Tribune rather than the Times, and Sister Hard, the editor of the Blade, editorially advised the merchants to boycott the Times and secretly plotted with the embezzlers, tax-dodgers, Brother Ball and others to destroy the Times by destroying its credit by its representations. All this, too, has been done under the cloak of "religion and morality." One of these conspirators said in our presence yesterday: "I never miss Sabbath school." No man loves a coward or a fawning, sycophantic, hypocritical, contemptible, whining, political tool that plots to ruin men in secret and publicly makes long prayers to deceive the people. The men who secretly met to destroy us permit gangsters to wreck banks, embezzle public funds, take illegal fees and run immoral dives under court house protection. These men have made justice a farce in Scioto county. A gangster would run no possible chance of going to prison for the embezzlement of any amount intrusted to his care. Where is the current of justice?

Notice to Water Consumers.

The water tax is due May 1, 1898. If paid in advance on or before the 25th day of May a discount of 5 per cent will be allowed. By order of the board. THOS. HALL, Sec'y.

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Cut prices on lawn mowers and garden hose at Stahler Bros.

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They know from actual use that Hood's is the best, i. e., it cures when others fail. Hood's Sarsaparilla is still made under the personal supervision of the educated pharmacists who originated it.

The question of *best* is just as positively decided in favor of Hood's as the question of comparative sales.

Another thing: Every advertisement of Hood's Sarsaparilla is true, is honest.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

FANS! FANS!

Over 250 new styles in Paper, Silk and Gauze Fans. Empire Shapes—dreams of airy beauty, with the most dainty decorations, each one a work of art.

Prices From 3c. to $3.00.

SUN SHADES.

New assortment Colored Sun Shades and Umbrellas. Steel rod, beautiful natural wood handles, covered with the finest silk.

Colors, Blue, Green, Red, Garnet and Purple. Plain and changeable, $2.50 & $2.75.

Large line of Blue Silk Umbrellas at all prices.

Shirt Waists.

One thing that impresses you favorably in our Shirt Waists is the beautiful finish they all have, and our styles are all distinctive. A large variety and a few of a kind has been our motto this spring.

Our 45c world beater leads them all, over 25 styles to select from. 50c buy an elegant stylish well made waist this year. Assortment complete. Some 30 styles.

ORGANDIES

AND SUMMER WASH GOODS.

Victoria Zephyrs, Organdies Japonaise, Organdies Sublime, Javan Madras, Mouselline de Soie, Organdies St. Germain, Lappett Stripes, Dotted Swiss Mull, Corded Novelties, Silver Star Madras, Ducks, Fo Checks, French Ginghams, etc.

Lace Curtains.

New Alexandria Bobinet Lace Curtains, in plain and dotted net.

The very latest thing in window decorations.

Ruffled Bobinet by the yard.

Complete assortment of Nottingham and Irish Point Curtains, etc.

Percales.

Big Specials in Percales This Week.

25 patterns French Percales 36 inches wide, 7½c, regular price 12½c.

30 pieces French Percales, nice shirt patterns, 36 inches wide, 10c, regular price 12½c.

25 pieces 36 in. Percales, light and dark styles, splendid cloth, 6½c.

30 pieces ⅛ Percale, light and dark styles, good strong cloth, 5c.

BELTS.

Our line of Belts has been attracting unusual attention this spring. We are showing some very exclusive designs, including Jeweled, Metal and Leather Belts.

Military Belts and Plain Leather Belts in all popular shades.

There is an increasing demand for smaller Buckles. We have a large assortment of this style to select from.

Fringed Ties and Sashes.

Fashion has decreed that everything must be fringed in Ties and Sashes this spring. We have a large variety to select from.

Ties in all popular widths, 25c up.

Sashes, extra heavy fringe, 3, 4 and 5 yd lengths, $2.00 up.

GONNOLLEY'S STORE.

Serve Portsmouth First.

The improvements that the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company has made at Connellsville, Pa., which is quite an important passenger and freight station, have met with considerable approval on the part of the residents of that active little city. The old shop buildings, passenger station, freight house, engine house, turn-tables and other buildings that have been in use for the past forty years have been removed. In their place have been erected a new passenger station of pressed brick, 32x110 feet, and a new frame freight house 40x161 feet. The interior furnishings of the passenger station are modern and up-to-date and especial facilities have been afforded for the comfort of ladies.

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Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia radically cures in one to three days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Sold by Wurster Bros., druggists, Portsmouth, O.

The First Gun Is Fired.

By the Cleveland, Akron and Columbus railway opening the excursion season of 1898 with a low rate and special train to Cleveland Sunday, April 24th, leaving Columbus union station at 7 a m., stopping only at principal stations. Rate is $1.50 from Columbus; $1 from Mt. Vernon and similar low rates from intermediate points. Special train returning leaves Cleveland union station at 6 p. m. Elegant parlor car and baggage car for wheels. See the beautiful Forest city and its magnificent system of parks now at their best in beautiful spring attire. Call on or address any C. A. & C. agent, or C. F. Day, general passenger agent, Cleveland, O.

Marvelous.

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Fixing Up.

This is the season of the year when you begin fixing things up. You need Iron Roofing and Spouting, Nails, hammers, hatchets and saws. You need strap hinges for gates and other hinges for doors. You need locks, latches and the like, and paint and glass. You also need poultry netting, garden rakes, hoes and spades, lawn mowers and a thousand and one other things. You also need table and pocket cutlery, razors to keep your countenance smooth. All these things and more you will find at

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5 doz Percale Shirts with 2 detachable collars at 50c.
5 doz Soft Percale Shirts with 2 detachable collars at 50c.
5 doz White Body with Colored Bosom at 50c.
5 doz Fine Madras Cloth at 50c, worth seeing.
3 doz. extra quality Percale Shirts, well made, take your choice at 50c.
3 doz Sateen Shirts in light patterns, take your choice at 50c.
White Unlaundered Shirts made of Fruit Muslin at 50c.
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You will pay 75c and get no better.
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Boys' Shirts with 2 collars, sizes 12 to 14 years at 50c.
Boys' White Body with fancy bosom at 50c, beauties.
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Men's Overalls and Blouses, extra well made at 50c.
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Small Store, Small Profits, money for you.

TIES.

White String Ties at 10c and 20c a doz.
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Linen Collars and Cuffs.

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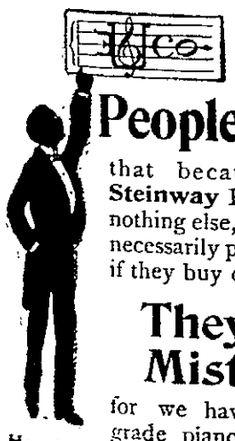

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that because we sell **Steinway** Pianos, we sell nothing else, and they must necessarily pay a high price if they buy of us.

They are Mistaken

for we have other high grade pianos such as the **Hazelton, Smith & Barnes, Gabler, Kurtzman,** etc., superior in touch, tone and finish at prices most moderate. We offer intending purchasers greater variety and better value, dollar for dollar than any house in the West.

If you can not come, write for full information.

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LAST AND BEST

Meeting of the Men's Social Held Friday Evening.

Mr. Geo. D. Selby Talks on "Capital and Its Investment."

In an Entertaining and Instructive Manner---Next Meeting Will Be Held in the Fall.

A fair-sized audience was present at the men's social last evening at the Second Presbyterian church. This was not only the best meeting of the season, but the last one. The weather getting warmer, evenings shorter, etc., it was thought best to discontinue until fall, when they will reorganize and begin for the winter. These meetings have done a vast amount of good and much credit is due the officials of this church for starting this movement. The meetings have been well attended every evening. The audiences, composed largely of young men, both young and old, have been free to take part, and the meetings have been very interesting, entertaining and instructive.

Mr. George D. Selby, of Drew, Selby & Co., delivered the opening address last evening on the subject of "Capital, Its Investment, Manipulation and Distribution." Mr. Selby made an excellent talk on the subject and the discussion that followed was full of vim, vigor and spice. Mr. Selby said that many people thought if they had a stocking filled with money they had capital and were capitalists. Money cannot be capital, except as it is used as a medium of exchange. A Klondiker once said that sometimes they had nothing but money. Money is no value only when kept in circulation. It is true there is a very unequal distribution of money, but how to better it is a query difficult to answer. An equal distribution, would seem impossible. Monopolies are an impediment to general success. Accumulation is but distribution. We take no stock in the theory of luck and opportunity. Deliberate planning and energy will produce the opportunity. It is much harder to get the first thousand dollars than the next five thousand dollars. The distribution of capital is largely through the wage-earners; their money drifts into the tills of dry goods stores, the shoe store, the saloon and all channels of trade. It is from the wage-earner of today that we must get the business man of tomorrow. Our advice is to stick to your business, if you have one. If you have none, get one. If you cannot succeed at what your are doing, do something else. All men who work are business men. The pick and his hovel is the capital of the laborer. Every wage-earner should live on less than he earns. In answer to a question, Mr. Selby said he thought the present war would stagnate business for a time at least, as war impedes prosperity.

Judge Osborn doubted the policy of advocating economy. If a man only spent $600 of a $1,000 salary, he was robbing some one of the benefits derived from the expenditure of the other $400.

Mr. Selby claimed that hard times are no disadvantage to the man who is in good shape to meet them.

Prof. Frost, the music teacher, made some strong points in favor of the parent teaching economy to the children. Most children learn extravagance from the cradle, and when they arrive at manhood and womanhood they are beyond redemption.

Several other talks were made by different parties, all of which were interesting and instructive and should have been heard by a much larger audience.

"MARCH THROUGH GEORGIA"

Was the Subject of a Lecture Delivered by Dr. Kline.

Yesterday afternoon Dr. P. J. Kline delivered a lecture to the scholars of Union street school, from the subject, "Marching Through Georgia." The lecture was of universal interest. Possibly no one in the city is better qualified for such work than the Doctor, not only at home when talking to children, but being with Sherman in his march to the sea, and full of patriotism himself, he was soon able to instill the same feeling into the minds of the children, and it will be a long time before they forget the sayings of the good Doctor.

How Cheap.

It is not a question of "how cheap," but "how good," when it comes to considering spectacles. There is nothing cheap about our spectacles, but the price. We don't do the testing ourselves, but have an associate who is an expert optician. He does the work. Consultation free.

C. H. HARRIS, Jeweler,
412 Chillicothe street.

Students desiring to attend either of the business colleges will find something to their interest by inquiring at the Times office.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

The advance sale for "My Friend From India" opened last evening. A good many seats were sold and the indications are that there will be a big house. As this is the last show of the season, theater-goers should all turn out.

There will be no increase in prices for "My Friend From India." Regular house prices will prevail—25, 35, 50, 75, and box seats $1.00.

One of the funniest scenes in "My Friend From India", which will be here Monday night, is the mirror scene. There is a cheval glass which has been broken. The glass has been removed from its frame; an old maid stands in front, primping, and in the place where the glass should be a weird theosophist, made up exactly like her, mimics her every motion. The description does not sound particularly humorous, but wait till you see it. The effect is excruciatingly funny. And that is only one of a score of absurdities equally disturbing to the risibilities.

Montgomery Phister, dramatic editor of the Commercial-Tribune, will act as that paper's war correspondent at the front.

William Mandeville, who was selected, and who is now playing Erastus Underholt in "My Friend From India," is not only a very excellent actor, but is one of the best all-round athletes in the East. During the past summer Mr. Maundeville won several prizes, both for swimming and wheeling, at St. James, L. I., which is known as the professional colony. He is also one of the crack ball players of that contingent. It is mainly to his credit that the large amount of money was realized at that place for charitable purposes.

"Doc" Waddell left this morning for New York City, where he will join the Buffalo Bill wild west show. He will be announcer for the big side show that accompanies the main show. Doc has a good summer job and his voice will be heard in the land. This fall he will join the New England Opera company as advance man. Doc is all right and many Portsmouth friends will wish him success.

"My Friend From India" company, which is booked to appear here Monday night, April 25th, boasts of a quartette of enthusiastic wheelmen, each being a member of the L. A. W., two of them having made century runs. The names of the full quartette are William C. Mandeville, Ernest Warde, Charles Mitchel and W. E. Colligan.

Remember that "My Friend From India" will be the last show of the season.

Don't buy your buggy, surrey, phaeton or trap of any kind till you have seen the elegant line carried by J. C. Hibbs & Co. They have the finest line in the city and at surprisingly low prices.

Special Service.

The service at Sixth Street M. E. church on Sunday evening will be a patriotic one. Among other items an original poem and music, "To Arms, Ye Brave Americans!" by Miss Mary E. Pursell, will be sung by Mr. R. C. Maddock and the choir. The sermon by the Rev. Robjent will be on "John Bright, the Peoples' Tribune," whose noble stand on behalf of the Union is not forgotten by loyal Americans.

VERY DISAGREEABLE

To Women Is Catarrh---Spring the Best Time to Get Rid of It.

Coughing, sneezing, hawking, spitting, wheezing, blowing, gagging—all these disagreeable sounds are made more or less continuously by the victim of catarrh. She would not do it if she could help it. No refinement can nide catarrh. No caution conceals its symptoms. There is only one wise thing to do. Find a cure. Not a temporary relief, but a permanent cure. Mrs. J. W. Reynolds, Elkton, O., Box 46, says she has suffered with congestion of the lungs, catarrh of the head and was troubled with a bad cough. She had tried a number of physicians, but they all failed to cure her. She was induced to try Pe-ru-na, and immediately a marked change took place. After using Pe-ru-na the cough ceased, and in a short time her other ailments were cured. She is now completely restored to health and gives all the credit to Pe-ru-na. Mrs. Elizabeth Grau, New Athens, Ill., says: "For two years I had catarrh of the nose very bad. Sometimes it was so bad that I could not sleep at night. I doctored with two physicians, but they did not help me. I read about Pe-ru-na in the paper and got a bottle of it. I then wrote to Dr. Hartman and he said I should continue to take it. I took it until I was entirely well. Whosoever follows Dr. Hartman's advice will get well."

A free book written for women only. Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

Headache Quickly Cured.

Dr. Davis' Anti-Headache never fails, 25c.

BEST SPRING REMEDY FOR THE CHILDREN.

The Perfect Health of a Large Family Is Due to the Use of

Paine's Celery Compound.

Worcester, Mass., March 5, 1898.

Wells, Richardson & Co.—Gentlemen: Myself and family form a first-cass example of the health-giving qualities of Paine's celery compound.

Every spring we use this vauable remedy, and it has kept my children well and strong. I believe that it is better take steps to keep well rather than to wait till one is sick. The good health of my family and freedom from doctor's bills shows the wisdom of taking Paine's celery compound.

Every time I have a chance I speak in praise of Paine's celery compound, knowing it to be superior to sarsaparillas or any ordinary spring medicine. Yours very truly,

HARRY PERNDIVILLE,
Publisher of the American Bandsman.

Here's a whole family,
Husband, wife and children made well and kept well by Paine's celery compound.

The pre-eminence of Paine's celery compound over all other remedies, especially as a spring invigorator and blood purifier for every member of the family, from the youngest to the oldest, could not be better illustrated than in the case of the Prendiville family of Worcester, Mass.

It is to be remembered that not one-tenth of all the magnificent cures fairly due to Paine's celery compound ever get beyond the knowledge of the immediate family; that, in fact, few people have any appreciation of the number of families throughout the United States where Paine's celery compound is kept constantly on hand, and is being taken, or has been taken, by some of its members.

Paine's celery compound has already done an enormous work. It has saved lives. It has saved health. It has saved homes.

It is not beyond the reach of the most modest household, while a much greater expenditure will procure nothing else so effective.

Paine's celery compound, the remedy that makes people well, is within the reach of all.

As frequnently happens in the spring, the entire family begins to feel "run down," and to suffer with the hardest disease in the world to diagnose—the trouble they have when they say, "Doctor, I don't feel well." The advice of hosts of competent physicians is to use Paine's celery compound, the one known spring remedy that restores lost nervous energy, creates an apeptite, purifies the blood and builds up the strength of the entire system.

Nervousness, headaches, thinness, pale faces and poor appetites among children come from the same causes that produce rheumatism, neuralgia and debility in older persons—from poor blood and insufficiently nourished nerves. Paine's celery compound is the first, last and only remedy used in intelligent, prudent homes, where pains is taken to get only the best in so vital a matter.

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The Cloth is Better,
The Trimmings Are Better,
The Tailoring is Better,

And the prices are invariably lower. Don't take our word for it. Convince yourself. When you are down town step into the store and view the best assortment of Boys' Attire ever gathered under one roof in Portsmouth. You will find an extensive variety of the popular patterns and we positively guarantee each and every suit in our Boys' Department shall be lower in price than goods of similar quality can be bought for elsewhere. Our $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50 Suits are all trade winners, and our celebrated

$1.00 and $1.50

Knockabout Suits

Cannot be equaled in the city. The kind that will stand the rough usage of foot ball games, leap-frog, etc. They are made to fit Boys from 4 to 15 years. The new spring styles are all in.

BEN DAVIS,

One Price Clothier. 127 West Second Street.

GOOD SHOWING

Made by Wylie Piatt in His First Game.

Went in Against New York Yesterday and Won His Game by a Score of 13 to 7.

There was joy and jubilation in the village of Otway last night, and it wasn't over the war either. The cause of the good feeling was the fact that Wylie Piatt had pitched his first game in the big league and had not been found wanting. He was put in by Philadelpiha yesterday against New York and won his game by a score of 13 to 7. Piatt was pitted against Rusie and shows up well by comparison. Both men were wild, each giving eight bases on balls. Piatt struck out four men to Rusie's one and made four wild pitches to Rusie's one. Seven hits were made off Piatt, while twelve were made off Rusie. The start of the Otway boy is a good one and that he will develop into a star pitcher is sincerely hoped by his many friends in Portsmouth and Scoto county.

POLICE NEWS.

Two Families Spent the Night at the Station House---No Arrests.

Last night a family consisting of a man and wife and five children applied at the station house for lodging. The family were from Coalton and were on their way to Cincinunati. They left on a boat for that city this morning. The family said that Coalton was asbolutely dead, there being nothing in the way of work there since the strike was declared.

A good looking young woman and her child, claiming to be from Columbus, stayed over night at the station house. They were bound for Huntington, W. Va.

Day Policeman Beatty has been temporarily assigned to duty as turnkey at the station house. Frank Watkins still holds the fort as janitor.

Spring Suits at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

For Sale.

At my residence, 15 East Eighth street, at any time during Monday, the 25th day of April, 1898, household and kitchen furniture, trinkets and notions. Also an excellent large range, nearly new.

19-d5t-w1t J. B. CARTER.

Do not forget to leave your order with the Portsmouth Ice Cream Co. for cream for your Sunday dinner or for Sunday evening. They will bring it to you packed in ice so as to keep it frozen and fresh. Call at 708 Chillicothe street, or call up telephone No. 762.

To Join Buffalo Bill.

Doc. Waddell, the showman, took his departure for New York this morning. Monday, at Brooklyn, he begins his summer engagement with the Buffalo Bill show, but if there is a good chance to get on the staff of one of the New York papers as war correspondent he will accept. The best wishes of his Portsmouth friends, those who have stood by him through thick and thin, go with him. A bright future is ahead for Doc, and they are glad of it.

Remember the Kendall Block Bakery and restaurant will serve ice cream tonight and Sunday.

John Hamilton for Congress.

The Daily Irontonian, Editor J. I. Gormans' paper, published at Ironton, is out in a leader booming John Hamilton, of that city, for congress. Mr. Hamilton is an able man and a brilliant orator.

NOT FOR FRIENDS

Are We to Eat What We Don't Want.

A famous physician, in a late article on the subject of health, speaking particularly of the value of good digestion, says:

"Don't eat anything you don't want, even to please your friends.

"Don't be afraid of microbes: they will not hurt you.

"A healthy condition of the stomach makes a healthy skin and a good complexion.

"Learn and practice good habits: they are easy and most pleasant.

"A diet with an eye to acquiring flesh should consist of liquids—milk, water, but not coffee or tea: no hot breads, plenty of butter and cheese.

"Above all, eat slowly and never exercise until half an hour after meals."

Another says: "I have known weak eyes cured by leaving off coffee. And hundreds of other cases of nervous troubles like kidney complaints, dyspepsia, liver and heart trouble, and bowel complications directly relieved by the abandonment of coffee and the use of Postum Food Coffee.

The alkaloids of coffee are a serious poison to many people and when one finds disease coming on, it is high time to stop the cause and take some natural food like Postum Food Coffee, which rebuilds the broken down nerve centers all over the human body. Ten days' trial will prove the facts and furnish great relief to the sufferer.

15 and 25 cent packages at grocers.

PERSONAL.

Miss Nellie Burke, of Burke's Point is the guest of Miss Lavina McElhaney,

Deputy Probate Judge Gilliland has been confined to his room sick for several days.

Miss Compston, of Locust Grove, is the guest of Mrs. M. B. Gilbert, of East Second street.

Mrs. E. H. Shaw went to Chillicothe, this morning to attend the funeral of Miss Caroline O. Scott.

Mrs. Robert Baker left this morning for Washington, C. H., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Edward Buscher.

Mrs. Tom Burt and little son Eddie, of Market street, returned Thursday from a visit with Cincinnati friends,

Miss Minia Desellem, of East Ninth street, left yesterday afternoon over the C. P. & V. for Lincoln, Ill., where she will spend the summer with relatives.

Dr. S. D. Ruggles left this afternoon for Henderson, Ky., to visit his relatives. From there he goes to Little Rock, Ark., for a visit. He will be gone three weeks.

Rev. W. H. Miller, of Newark, O., who will preach at the Bigelow M. E. church Portsmouth, Sunday morning and evening, is here visiting his brothers, R. B. and K. A. Miller.—Irontonian.

ENJOYABLE PROGRAM

At the Ladies' Musicale Yesterday---Business Meeting May 6th.

At the meeting of the Ladies' Musicale yesterday the last regular program of the season was given. It was an excellent program, all the selections being very enjoyable and rendered in most creditable manner. The members of the Womans' Literary club were guests of the afternoon.

Mrs. John E. Jones, Mrs. Phelps Leete, Mrs. Sam Marting and Miss Mary Richardson were the vocalists on duty, while the instrumental numbers were a violin solo by Miss Edwards, piano solo by Mrs. Julia A. Turley, piano duets by Mrs. Crawford and Mrs. Will Ferguson, and Miss Evans and Miss Tappan and a very fine two piano piece by Miss Mary Reed and Miss Margaret Patterson. By request Mrs. Turley played, after her regular number, a very pretty Two-step, her own composition, which will soon be published.

At the business meeting several important changes in the constitution and by-laws were submitted by the '98 '99 executive board, the same to be voted upon at the business meeting to be held on Friday afternoon, May 6th. At this meeitng it is important that all active members be present, either in person by proxy.

DIVORCED AND MARRIED

Almost Before the Sound of the Judge's Voice Had Died Away.

Yesterday afternoon a divorce suit was heard by Judge Milner, in which Abigail Jones was plaintiff and Hiram Jones defendant. Ed. K. Walsh was the attorney for Mrs. Jones. The speed with which the case was rushed through trial, the hurried manner in examining witnesses, etc., was noticeable. The reason for it was not apparent at the time, but hardly had the sound of the judges' voice died away, when an application was made and a marriage license secured for the marriage' of Elza Crabtree and Abigail Jackson, the court having granted a divorce and restoration to maiden name. So anxious apparently was Mrs. Jones-Jackson to become Mrs. Crabtree that she could not wait for the clerk to place the divorce decree on record and grant the marriage certificate.

WON THE DEBATE.

The Bicycle Is Not a Detriment to Society at All.

The High School Literary society met last night in regular session. The subject for debate was very interesting and the debate was very pointed. The subject was, "Resolved: That the Bicycle is a Detriment to Society." The affirmative was defended by Miss Nellie Hard, Homer Selby and Ralph Knowles, all of whom did excellently. The negative side of the question was handled by Misses Lizzie Smith and Effie Amberg and Mr. Gilbert Fuller. The latter's address was especially good and the delivery of it was also excellent.

The general debate which followed was spirited and the result was the negatives won easily.

Card of Thanks.

We kindly thank our kind friends for the kindness they showed to us during the illness of our sister.

MRS. SOPHIA SCHAFER AND SISTERS.

Auction.

Will commence at my residence, 15 East Eighth street, on Monday afternoon, the 2th inst, at one o'clock, John W. Lewis, auctioneer. Bedding, antique furniture and cupboard ware will sell very low, and must sell. No private bidding. J. B. CARTER.

Single, double, tripple or quadruple spring vehicles at Stahler Bros.

Scrofula, salt rheum, erysipelas and other distressing eruptive diseases yield quickly and permanently to the cleansing, purifying power of Burdock Blood Bitters.

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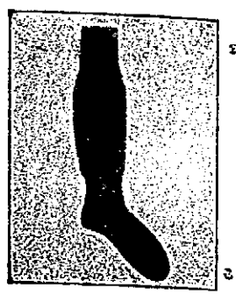
Sweaters.

We have just received the newest things on the market in these goods, prices from $1.00 to $4.50. Boys' Sweaters, all wool, made with the new Byron collar, $1 and $1.50.

Golf Hose.

Our line of Golf Hose is the best and cheapest in the city. See our startling values at 50c and 75c. Better grades at $1.00 and $1.50. We are agents for the celebrated McGeorge Scotch Hose.



Have you seen our new Striped and Plaid Sox at 25c and 50c? They are the swellest on the market.

Collars. Cuffs.

All the newest styles in the above articles can be had at the big store.

Everyone says that our line of Shirts is the most beautiful in this city. Take a look at our "Manhattans" before purchasing your Spring Shirts.

Be Patriotic

Boys and show it by wearing one of those Soldier Caps. Price 25c.

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"Remember The Maine"

Boys get one of those regulation Army Caps we are selling for 25c.

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—and dealing in—

PAINTERS' SUPPLIES.

We do not deem it necessary to inform the people of this city who we are as individuals inasmuch as the firm of whom we speak are old settlers in this county; besides we have in our employ an old Portsmouth boy who stands high in his profession as a decorative sign painter, who is none other than

C. W. GRADY,

who will at all times gladly make a "push" of your business by leaving your sign orders with the firm. We also have the best of material, and mechanics, consisting of paper hangers, grainers, house painters, and in fact everything which goes to make a first class place. Our long experience in the business enables us to know how to execute good work and the price therefor, quality considered. We will cheerfully furnish you an estimate for your spring work. Call on or address

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New Peas and Beans at cost.

1 lb Fancy Lettuce	15c
2 large bunches Pie Plant	5c
1 peck Kale	10c
1 bunch New Beets	5c
2 bunches Onions	5c
2 bunches Radishes	5c
1 large bunch Asparagus	10c
1 peck Fancy Potatoes	25c
1 peck new Sweet Potatoes	40c
12 good Oranges	12c
12 best Bananas	15c
1 lb good Mixed Candy	5c
1 package Rolled Oats	5c
1 lb good Prunes	5c
1 qt. best Table Syrup	5c
1 25c jar good Mustard	10c
1 lb can good Baking Powder	5c
1 3lb can best Baking Powder	25c
3 packages good Coffee	25c
6 sticks good Wax	1c
1 box good blacking	1c
1 package good Stove Polish	1c
10 bars best Soap	25c
2 boxes best Bag Blue	5c
1 can Pears, Peaches or Apricots	10c
1 can Pumpkin and Peas	5c

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The people in the neighborhood of 164 East Ninth street appreciate the convenience of having a fine stock of Fresh Groceries close at hand. That is why they are patronizing

Chas. Nagel

so liberally. He delivers all orders promptly to all prts of the city. There is nothing in the line of Groceries that you will not find in his store. Remember the place,

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Economy is the Road to Wealth.

A dollar saved is a dollar made. Here is how to save the dollar.

1 lb best 60c and 80c Gun Powder and Young Hyson Tea for 40c.
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10 bars best soap for 25c.
New Beans,
New Peas,
New Radishes,
New Tomatoes,
New Sweet Potatoes,
New Strawberries.
All package Coffee 10c, war or no war

Henry Weghorst,

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If You Are Ashamed

To ride in that old buggy or other vehicle because the paint is falling off of it like whitewash off of a wall, take it to

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31 West Fifth street, and have it repainted and made as nice as new. If you have no rig to use while it is being done you can hire one at his

Livery Stable.

He has the best horses and most stylish rigs in the city. Go and see for yourself.

JACK'S Sarsaparilla

Is the best, the most effective, and the most economical blood purifier that money can buy. It enriches the blood, gives tone to the stomach, sharpens the appetite and builds up the system For a Spring Medicine, try this Home Remedy. Fifty Doses, Fifty Cents. Your Druggist sells it, JACK'S PILLS for Stomach Ills.

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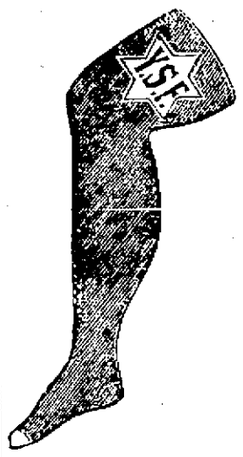

Our store is just overflowing with bargains in spring goods.

Have you bought those Lace Curtains? Don't delay, come while our sale is on. Curtains and Curtain Swisses at prices never before known for quality and such a newness of styles.

Table Linen, Crashes, Towels, Bed Spreads, ready-made Sheets. Ladies' White Aprons 10c and upwards. Bonnets and Caps for the little ones.

Elegant line of Shirt Waists 29c to $1.10

Elegant line of Dress Skirts 98c to $8.00.

All the latest ideas in Ribbons for Hat Scarfs and Ties and Sashes. Fringed Scarfs 23c each and upwards, very latest fad.

Jeweled and Leather Belts to fit both waist and purse.

Special Sale of Handkerchiefs 3c each.

Ladies' Ribbed Vests 4c each.

Ladies' Ribbed Vests, taped neck, worth 15c at 9c each.

Better grades all prices. Special—Children's ribbed hose, black and tans, worth 15c at 10c. Everything in the way of Hosiery and Underwear for Ladies, Children and Men. Our center window tells an interesting story in Men's Furnishings. Don't fail to see it. A big saving in the little things. You can make no mistake buying from us.

PURCELL & BRAGDON,

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Where Did You Get

Those nobby clothes? They are loud and attractive. Had them made to order, didn't you?

Hold there, my friend, I can agreeably surprise you. Those clothes were taken from a stock of Clothing that is the prettiest line in the city.

There was one lot just received and I could hardly tell which pile of clothing was the best to select from. They were all fine.

You ought to see the new stock of latest style Hats and Ties. They have plenty of them at

The Famous,

133 West Second St. **Fred Straus, Prop.**

House Cleaning Bargains.

Ten pieces Fancy Silkaline Drapery will be placed on sale at 8c per yard. These goods are 36 inches wide, regular 12½c goods.

Nice line of Tinsel Draperies, worth 15c per yard, will be sold at 10c.

Handsome Figured Denims.

Choice line of Figured Swiss and Lace Drapery for Sash Curtains, Doors and Transoms at towels prices.

Cream color Scrims with pretty yellow and green figures at 10c per yard.

Plain Cream color Scrims at 5c, 7c, 8c and 10c.

Big line of White Bed Spreads in all sizes at lowest prices.

Sheeting, Pillow Case Muslin and Bed Ticking as cheap as can be bought.

L. & E. Yaeger

507 Chillicothe St.

"And There Was Abundance in the Land"

But it all seemed to be centered at one place. There were

New Sweet Potatoes,
New String Beans,
New Peas,
New Radishes,
New Tomatoes,
New Cucumbers,
New Lettuce,
New Rhubarb,
Fresh Pine Apples, Naval Oranges and the

Finest Strawberries

In the land. At what place? Why at the

Central Grocery

To be Sure.

There is a Time and Place for Everything.

There is a Time to Paint

If your house is looking a little bit shabby or weatherbeaten and is beginning to decrease in value, then that time is now.

There is a Place to buy Paint

It is our store, because we have the Queen Bee Mixed Paint at $1.20 per gallon. One gallon covers 250 square feet two coats. Come in and see our beautiful color cards.

Wurster Bros.

Druggists, Second and Court

Wright's Celery Tea regulates the liver and kidneys, cures constipation and sick headache. 25c at all druggists.

COURT HOUSE.

Two divorce suits were heard yesterday afternoon and decrees granted in each case—Abigail Jones vs. Hiram Jones, with restoration to maiden name of Abigail Jackson; Lavina Mangus vs. George Mangus. Court adjourned until Monday, May 2nd.

PROBATE COURT.

Trusteeship of Eliza P. Campbell. Account filed. A. T. Holcomb, trustee.

W. H. Wallace, administrator of estate of John P. Noel, deceased, filed. Sale bill and final account.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Elza Crabtree, 27, and Abigail Jackson, 24.

Samunel Homer, 36, and Viola Brannam, 20.

COWARDLY ATTACK

Of the Organ of Morality and Religon Upon a Business Man.

Thursday night a well known Chillicothe street business man left two wheels standing in front of his store, and the police took them to the Mayor's office for safety. The circumstances were explained to the Blade and Times and the Times gave a concise statement of the facts. The Blade in a sensational article insinuated that there was something crooked and attacked the characters of the owners of the wheels. There was absolutely no excuse for the article and the business man would be justified in resenting vigorously the cowardly attack of the organ of "morality and religion."

A HERO---NIT.

Chillicothe Man Cut Off His Finger to Get to Stay Home.

From Chillicothe there came the story this morning of a prominent young man of that city who did not want to go to war. This young man by name is Albert Feuchs, son of Dr. Feuchs, a physician. He joined the Chillicothe regiment of the National Guards some time ago. Last night he got worked up over the exciting news that was coming in over the wires about the war and concluded that he did not want to go after all. The young man immediately proceeded to cut off the index finger of his right hand, thus disabling him from active service. The affair has caused a sensation in Chillicothe.

If you have tired other so-called opticians and failed to get correct glasses, call on Mr. Tinder, optician, with C. H. Harris, jeweler, 412 Chillicothe street.

AWAITING EXCITEDLY

The Orders Telling Them to March Is Company H.

The local militia company are greatly stirred on account of the orders issued by the President this afternoon for 125,000 volunteers. The orders to move have not yet been received by Capt. Prichard but they are expected every minute.

Every member of the company signifies their willingness to go and it is probable that all will go. It is understood that Philo Clark received a telegram from Columbus saying that the boys would have their orders to go before 6 o'clock.

Everything is ready and the company could be gotten off in 12 hours at the most.

Do not ruin your lace curtains by trying to wash and do them up without facilities to do it. Bring them to us or let us call for them, and you will be well pleased with the result.
ZOTTMAN BROS.

RIVER NEWS.

River 15 feet, 10 inches and falling.

Lizzie Bay up at noon today.

Stanley will be down Sunday morning.

Queen City and Bonanza up Sunday forenoon.

Choice trouserings at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

We have something elegant in young men's light buggies.
STAHLER BROS.

Injured by a Fall.

William Smith, a workman at McDermott's stone quarry on the C. P. & V. railroad, was severely injured yesterday afternoon by falling from the run, a distance of about twenty feet. He was unconscious for an hour or more. He was taken to his boarding house nearby and is supposed to be hurt internally. His home is in Chicago.

Screen your house with Sommer Bros.' screens.

The Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Wheat, $1.14, May; corn, 32¼; oats, 27¼.

Toledo.—Wheat, $1.06½.

Cincinnati.—Eggs, 9.

Chicago, Ill., April 23. — Hogs, active, $3.80, $4.02½; cattle, dull, unchanged.

Stahler Bros. carry the best line of harness, all kinds.

Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

To Cure Headache in 15 Minutes.
Take Dr. Davis' Anti-Headach. Druggists

TIMES NEWS.

An Order Placed With the Associated Press for Increased News.

The Times has arranegd to give its readers the best possible service on the war news. With this end in view, an order was placed with the Associated Press today doubling the amount of the service during the present excitement. The Times will have the same service as the Cincinnati evening papers and will give it to its readers fourteen hours ahead of them.

Our bulletins will be found duirng the day at Seebohm's drug store.

CORONER'S VERDICT

In Case of Inquest Held on Body of George C. Russell.

Coroner Davidson, after investigating the circumstances resulting in the death of George C. Russell, who was killed by leaning against an electric light pole, returns the following verdict: "After viewing the body and hearing the tesitmony of witnesses, I find that George C. Russell came to his death on the evening of April 18th, 1998, from the effects of an electric shock. The said shock was received from an electric wire, the property of the Portsmouth Street Railroad and Light company, at the corner of Fourth and Bond streets. I attach no blame to the Portsmouth Street Railroad and Light company or their employes for the accident.

"THEO. F. DAVIDSON,
"Coroner of Scioto Co."

OBITUARY.

KELLAR.

The five-weeks-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kellar, of West Tenth street, died last night. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. This is one of a pair of twins.

Spring Suits at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

Everything on wheels at Stahler Bros.

Back from Hot Springs.

Chan. Moulton was in the city today at noon from Lucasville. He says that Hot Srpings is the greatest resort in the country and that he will spend a few weeks there each season.

Charley Daehler and John Wilhelm, who were also in the Hot Springs party, will arrive home tonight or tomorrow. They were in St. Louis this morning.

Search-light lamps, $3.00, 1898 models. STAHLER BROS.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Baseball Fans Who Have Been Hibernating Are Once More Happy.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Balto...	4	1	.800	Pitts ...	3	3	.500
Chica...	4	1	.800	Wash...	2	3	.400
Cin'ti...	4	1	.800	Brook ..	2	3	.400
Phila ...	4	1	.800	Louis...	2	5	.285
Cleve ...	3	2	.600	N. Y....	1	5	.166
Bost....	3	3	.500	St. L....	0	4	.000

St. Louis, 0; Cleveland, 7.

AT ST. LOUIS—		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—	0	8	0
Cleveland	1 0 1 4 0 1 0 0 *—	7	14	1

Batteries—Sudhoff and Clements; Powell and O'Connor. Umpires—Cushman and Heydler.

Louisville, 1; Chicago, 2.

AT LOUISVILLE—		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—	2	6	0
Louisville	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—	1	7	3

Batteries—Thornton and Donahue; Dowling and Wilson. Umpires—Swartwood and Wood.

Cincinnati, 11; Pittsburg, 0.

AT CINCINNATI—		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0 0 1 1 5 0 0 3 1—	11	10	1
Pittsburg	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—	0	0	5

Batteries—Breitenstein and Peitz; Hastings and Schriver. Umpires—Ray and McDonald.

Baltimore, 8; Boston, 0.

AT BALTIMORE—		R.	H.	E.
Baltimore	3 0 0 0 2 0 1 2 *—	8	13	3
Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—	0	0	0

Batteries—Hughes and Clarke; Lewis and Bergen. Umpires—Lynch and Connolly.

Philadelphia, 13; New York, 7.

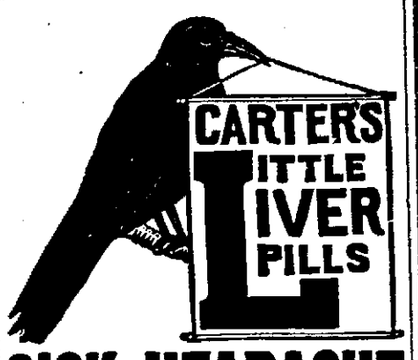
AT PHILADELPHIA—		R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	0 5 3 0 0 4 0 0 1—	13	12	3
New York	0 0 4 0 2 0 0 1 0—	7	7	1

Batteries—Platt and McFarland; Rusie and Warner. Umpires—Snyder and Curry.

Washington, 7; Brooklyn, 12.

AT WASHINGTON—		R.	H.	E.
Washington	1 2 0 2 0 0 0 2—	7	14	2
Brooklyn	1 5 1 2 2 0 1 *—	12	15	2

Batteries—Donovan, Amole, Dineen and McGuire; Yeager and Ryan. Umpires—Emslie and Andrews.



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Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

For Sunday.

Strawberries,
Cucumbers,
Fresh Peas,
Home Grown Asparagus,
Radishes,
Beets,
Rhubarb,
Lettuce,
Onions,
Fancy Oranges,
Bananas.

J. A. WILHELM.

WANT COLUMN.

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished front room for one or two gentlemen. Inquire at 137 West Seventh.

FOR SALE—Four room cottage with hydrant, good cistern and excellent cellar. Will sell on monthly payment plan. See Dan McFarland.

WANTED—Good painters and paper hangers to apply to Weber & Kirtland, Third and Washington streets.

FOUND—An umbrella in Kricker's hall, Wednesday evening, after the ball. Owner can have same by Calling at 11 West Second street.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A good farm of 50 acres to sell or trade for city property Inquire of advertising manager Times office.

FOR SALE—Nice rattan baby carriage, rubber tires, upholstered in brown, in good condition. Will sell for $7 50. Apply at 615 John.

FOR SALE—Low priced bedding chairs and cupboard ware at 15 East Eighth street next Monday the 25th, J. B. Carter. 22 5t

WANTED—To borrow $500 on gilt edged real estate. Call on or address 15 East Eighth street within one week from now. 22 5t

FOR SALE—Stock and eggs for hatching from six varieties of thoroughbred poultry at reasonable prices. Fifteen pens of stock that are up to date. J. E. Rhodemyre, Kinney's Lane West of Offnere street 21-1w

FOR SALE — At my residence, 15 East Eighth street, at any time during Monday, April 25, 1898, household and kitchen furniture, trinkets and notions. Also an excellent large range, nearly new. J. B. Carter.

FOR SALE—Two excellent new mortar boxes at old cooper shop. J. B. Carter.

FOR SALE—Three young Jersey cows. Inquire at Times office. 18-6t

FOR SALE—Second-hand phaeton in good condition. Inquire of Dr. S. S. Halderman. tf

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Will interest every man in Portsmouth who expects to build or repair houses.
Weather boarding from $8 to $13.
Flooring, pine and poplar from $15 to $20.
Shingles from $1.75 to $2.
Turned columns for porches 75c to $1.25.
Brackets and stair work, store fronts and interior finishing a specialty. Estimates given on all kinds of wood building at

A. W. Ackerman's Planing Mill,
Cor. Thirteenth and C. P. & V. Ry., Portsmouth, Ohio

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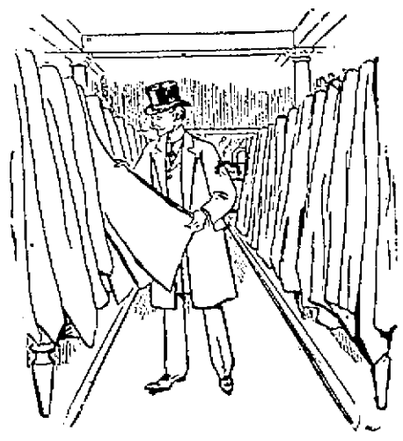

In our stock just the kind of cloth he had in mind for a suit. Impossible for it to be otherwise when every sort is represented. A judge of cloth is likely to be surprised at the fine material we put in our $18, $20, $25 and $30 Suits.

We are proud of our ability to do this. Our manner of cutting, fitting and finishing is equally pleasing. We allow nothing to leave the store that does not reflect credit on both wearer and maker.

Even if well supplied with clothes, look at our stock.

Burt, Pride & Hall,

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They not only have the finest line in the city, but also carry a complete line of Oils, Paints, Glass, Putty, Brushes, Moulding, &c.

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Best Grade Mixed Paints $1.00 per Gallon, same as sold by other dealers for $1.50.

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Every Housekeeper

Needs us when they buy new carpets, linoleums, oil cloths or mattings, to sew and lay them. Carpets and Portiers cleaned and renovated. We are the only ones in the city that do first class work. We make rugs of old carpets.

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51 GALLIA STREET.

Marting's.	Marting's.	Marting's.
12 1-2 Cents A Yard	**A Sheeting Bargain.** Today we place on sale 700 yards of extra good quality Unbleached Sheeting, 2¼ yards wide, come at once, big bargain, as long as it lasts, 12½c yard.	12 1-2 Cents A Yard
5c A Yard	**A Muslin Bargain.** We place on sale today 1,200 yards of very good quality of Unbleached Muslin, 40 inches wide at 5c yard. It's here at this price as long as there's any left.	5c A Yard
8 1-3c A yard	**Organdie Lawns.** Fifty different patterns of Organdie Lawns, you would expect to pay double the price for such nice quality, 30 inches wide, 8⅓c a yard.	8 1-3c A yard

MARTING BROS. & CO.

OPERA HOUSE

Will Be Leased to a Columbus Man Next Season.

Ralph Johnson Closed a Contract for the House Last Evening

And Will Try His Luck With It This Coming Season---Comes to Portsmouth Highly Recommended.

Mr. Ralph Johnson, a Columbus, O., gentleman, at present engaged in business in Chicago, was in the city over night. While here Mr. Johnson completed negotiations by which he will become a permanent resident of Portsmouth.

He made a deal with Mr. H. S. Grimes, acting for the Portsmouth Opera House company, by which he will lease the opera house for the season of 1898-99. This deal was made yesterday afternoon. Mr. Johnson will take the house the latter part of Auugst and will run it one year, with the privilege of a longer lease.

Mr. Johnson also rented the vacant corner room of the opera house building and the basement. He will take this immediately and will open a first-class buffet in the upstairs room. In the basement he will construct an up-to-date bowling alley. The buffet and bowling alley will be in charge of a young Columbus gentleman. Handsome new furniture will be used in equipping the buffet and it will be one of the finest resorts in the city. It will be opened in about two weeks.

Mr. Johnson comes to Portsmouth recommended by some of the best business men in Columbus. In years gone by he was a famous ball player, having been with the Cleveland league team and with the Columbus team of the Western league. For several seasons he has been in the theatrical business and this season was advance man for Mr. Walker Whiteside. While here with Mr. Whiteside he became impressed with Portsmouth and entered into negotiations with the Opera House company.

Mr. Johnson is also talking of leasing the base tall park and trying his luck with a ball team this season. His personal experience in ball would make him an elegant man for the position and it is hoped that he will give baseball a whirl.

Pe sonally, Mr. Johnson is an exceedingly clever and agreeable gentleman, with a clean record for honorable business transactions It is hoped he will not regret his coming to Portsmouth.

Mr. Grimes, who has managed the opera house for the company with which he is connected, for ten or twelve years, decided some time ago to retire from the management at the close of the present season. An effort was made to lease the house to local parties, but in the meantime Mr. Johnson submitted his propposition. Mr. Grimes has had a long career as manager, and to him is due the fact that Portsmouth has had an opportunity of enjoying high-class attractions in the amusement line.

Will Move.

C. H. Harris, the Chillicothe street jeweler, will remove his jewelry store from 412 Chillicothe street, where he has been located since coming to Portsmouth, to 417 Chillicothe street, which is almost directly across the street from his present location. It is between Connolley's dry goods and shoe store. The trade Mr. Harris has built up necessitated more commodious quarters. Mr. J. H. Tinder, the expert optician, will still remain with Mr. Harris.

Twelve Cabinets for $1.

It seems almost incredible that twelve first-class cabinet photographs can be made for one dollar, but Willis & Sons are doing it, and the work is fine. These prices will not be given long, and crowds are taking advantage of the cut. An inspection of the pictures will convince anyone that the work is worth three times the money.

Bethel Church.

The new church at Friendship known as Bethel church will be dedicated tomorrow, Rev. David H. Moore, of Cincinnati, Editor of the Western Christian Advocate, will preach the dedicating sermon. This church is now complete and is one of the neatest rural churches in the county.

Best paints on the market, in all colors. Prices guaranteed to suit you. J. C. HIBBS & CO.

A Brick Contract.

The Portsmouth Pressed Brick company has secured a contract for 200,000 brick from a big Cincinnati concern. They are rapidly turning out the brick.

Iron bedsteads the nobbiest in town, at prices to suit any purse.
J. B. NICHOLS, JR., & CO.

A Bright Baby Boy.

A bright boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hast this morning. Mr. Hast works in the C. P. & V. shops and was receiving congratulations of his friends this morning.

Lehman's line of tan shoes are especially nice.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Congregational Church.

Findlay street, between Ninth and Tenth. There will be no church service in the morning. Sabbath school at 9 a. m.; Junior Christian Endeavor at 2 p. m.; Christian Endeavor meeting at 6 p. m.; regular service in the evening at 7 o'clock. Subject, "Sparks From Miami." Prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 7 o'clock. All are invited to attend these services.

Sixth Street M. E.

Services tomorrow (Sunday) as follows: Sabbath school at 9 a. m.; morning service at 10:30; Junior League at 2; Epworth League at 6; people's service at 7. The Rev. Thos. Robjent will preach morning and evening, his subjects being: Morning, "One Fold and One Shepherd, or True Union Social Religions--National." Evening, "John Bright, the People's Tribune," being the third of a series of sermons on "Enemies of Tyranny." Everybody welcome. Strangers in the city are especially invited to this church.

Bigelow M. E.

Corner Washington and Fifth streets, M. W. Acton, pastor. Sunday school at 8:45 a. m.; preaching by Rev. Wm. H. Miller, of Newark, O., at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; class at 2 p. m.; league at 6 p. m. Morning topic, "Gethsemena." Evening topic, "Life."

Manly Chapel

Corner of Clay and Eleventh streets, F. M. Swinehart, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; public worship at 10:30 a. m. Subject "The Only Way to Salvation." Junior League at 2 p. m. ;class at 3 a. m.; Senior League at 6:30 p. m.; public worship at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Spirit of Methodism. All services sun time. Strangers are cordially invited to worship with us.

West Side M. E.

Dr. D. H. Moore, editor of the Western Christian Advocate, Cincinnati, O., will dedicate the New Bethel M. E. church at 10:30 a. m. Method "centennial" at 2:30 p. m. Memorial Epworth League at 7:30 p. m.; sermon by Dr. Moore at 8 p. m. Rev. G. H. Geyer, of Ironton, O., will preach Tuesday evening. A great event for our West Side people. Everybody invited. H. S. Alkire, pastor.

Allen Chapel, A. M. E.

East Seventh street. Sunday school at 9 a. m., Mr. J. H. Scott, superintendent; preaching by the presiding elder, Rev. Jno. Colemaan, at 10:30 a. m.; class at 12 m; communion at 2:30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor prayer meeting at 6 p. m., Charles Owens, leader. Preaching by the presiding elder at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Findlay Street M. E.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. Subject, "God's Keeping Power." Class meeting at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth league service at 7 p. m.; preaching at 7:45 p. m. Subject, "The Gift of Power." All are invited to attend these services, as they will be of great benefit to those who may attend. J. W. White, pastor.

Second Presbyterian

Corner Eighth and North Waller streets, Rev. S. B. Alderson, D. D., pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m., standard time. Morning subject, "The Policy of Christ in the Spanish-American War" — politics pushed aside by religion which marked each step of the President's action. Mr. McKinley governed by the quiet attitude of the church, not by the clamor of the crowd. Our duty to sustain him. Evening subject, "Sabbath Observance." Sunday base ball. The influence of the Sabbath upon the battles in our late Civil war.

First Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian church, southwest corner of Third and Court street, Rev. D. S. Tappan, D. D., pastor; Dr. C. P. Dennis, Sunday school superintendent. Sabbath school at 8:45 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Pearl of Days." Evening, "The Destructive Tendencies of Unbelief." Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday, at 7 p. m. A special invitation is extended to strangers and all who have not a permanent church home elsewhere. Welcome to all.

Christian.

Corner of Third and Gay streets, W. A. Harp, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m.; Young People's meeting at 6 p. m.; regular services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "America's Claim." Evening subject, "What the Church Can Learn From the World." A cordial invitation extended to all.

United Brethren.

Corner Seventh and Gay streets. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Y. P. C. U. at 6 p. m.; sermon a 7 p. m. All cordially invited. Pastor, Rev. J. E. Comer.

Spring Suits at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

It is not a remedy put up by any Tom, Dick or Harry; it is compounded by expert pharmacists. Ely Bros. offer a 10 cent trial size. Ask your druggist. Full size Cream Balm 50 cents. We mail it.

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Since 1861 I have been a great sufferer from catarrh. I tried Ely's Cream Balm and to all appearances am cured. Terrible headaches from which I had long suffered are gone. —W. J. Hitchcock, late Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y.

Many People Cannot Drink

Coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. Can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate; it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young and children, Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee. 15 and 25 cents.

Dyspepsia, Heartburn, gastritis and all stomach disorders positively cured. Grover Graham's Dyspepsia Remedy is a specific. One dose removes all distress, and a permanent cure of the most chronic and severe cases is guaranteed. Do not suffer! A 50 cent bottle will convince the most skeptical.
J. F. DAVIS DRUG CO.

CABINET CHANGE.

Rumor That Secretary Sherman Will Retire Within a Few Days.

Washington, April 23.—It is stated on what is believed to be at least semi-official authority that Secretary Sherman will resign within the next few days.

It is felt by the friends of the secretary that the present crisis is too severe a tax upon his failing strength, and for this reason he will retire to private life.

His successor will be Assistant Secretary Day, in all probability, but it can be stated that Judge Day has no desire to remain in public life.

Begging For Coal.

Rome, April 23.—The Italie announces that Spain has asked the Italian government not to consider coal contraband of war. It is added that it is not likely that the request will be granted.

Rear Admiral Sampson.

Washingon, April 23.—The secretary of the navy has decided to temporarily appoint Captain Sampson, now in command of the North Atlantic squadron a rear admiral.

France May Mix In.

Brest, France, April 23.—The Atlantic naval division of the French northern squadron is under orders to keep in constant proximity to the Antilles during hostilities.

Volunteer Bill Signed.

Washington, April 23.—The bill providing for the utilization of the volunteer forces of the country was passed by congress and promptly signed by the president.

MERIT is what has given Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world and enables it to accomplish thousands of wonderful **CURES.**

DO IT YOURSELF.

You can tell just as well as a physician whether your kidneys are diseased or healthy. The way to do is to take a bottle or glass tumbler and fill it with urine. If there is a sediment—a powder like substance—at the bottom after standing a day and night, there is something wrong with the kidneys. Another sure sign of disease is a desire to urinate often, and still another sign is pain in the back. If urine stains linen, there is no doubt that the kidneys are affected.

Any and all diseases of the kidneys, liver, bladder and of the urinary passages and constipation of the bowels are cured by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. There is no question about its being the best and surest medicine in the world for such troubles. It quickly relieves and cures inability to hold urine, and people, young or old, who take it are not compelled to get up a number of times during the night. For putting an end to that scalding pain experienced in passing urine, nothing is so good as Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It corrects the bad effects of whisky and beer; is pleasant to the taste, and does not seem to be medicine at all. Diseases of the kidneys and bladder often require the use of instruments to push back the sandy matter so the urine can be voided. In such cases Favorite Remedy should be taken without further delay or the disease may prove fatal. It is sold for one dollar a bottle at all drug stores. It is well worth many times its price.

Samples Free.

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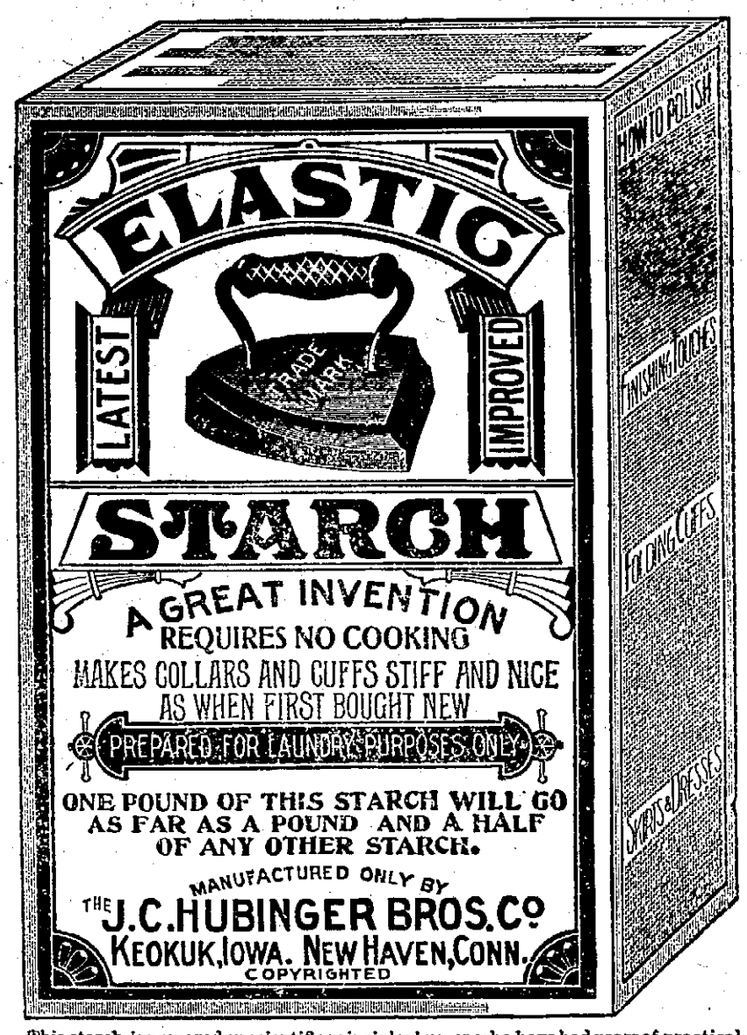

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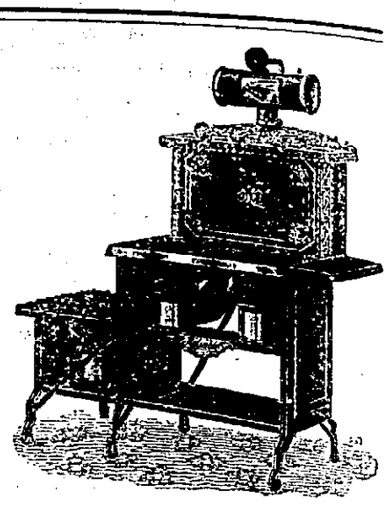

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*6:00 a. m.	9:30 a. m.
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* 5:15 a. m.	†10:55 a. m.
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†10:28 a. m.	*11:10 p. m.

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Very Valuable Prize Coming Over to Be Captured.

TWO SHIPS ALREADY PICKED UP.

Rumor That the Paris From London Has Been Intercepted.

VAGUE REPORT OF NAVAL BATTLE

No Details Are Given Other Than That an American Monitor Was Seen Chasing a Spanish Man-of-War and That a Lively Exchange of Shots Took Place. Advices From Shanghai Say the Pacific Squadron Has Sailed For Manilla and That the Priests and Business Men There Favor Surrender, but That the Military Will Not Agree to This—Rumor Comes From London That the United States Cruiser Topeka Was Sunk In Collision With the British Bark Albatross, but There Is No Confirmation.

Key West, April 23.—2:10 a. m.—It is reported here that the United States fleet is lined up off the Cuban coast for a blockade.

Not the Warship.

Key West, April 23.—It is believed here that the prize captured by the flagship New York is the Alfonso XII, the mail steamer due at Havana (not the warship of that name). The Spanish ship tried to run away, but the New York gave chase, firing shot after shot until the Spaniard hove to and surrendered.

First Naval Battle.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 23.—The first naval battle of the war took place opposite Boynton, about 25 miles south of Palm Beach, at 10 a. m., between a Spanish man-of-war and an American monitor. Result not known.

Manilla to Be Attacked.

Shanghai, April 23.—The American squadron at Hongkong has sailed for Manilla. It is reported that the priests and commercial classes favor surrender, but the military is determined to resist.

Another Spaniard Captured.

Key West, April 23.—2:20 a. m.—An incoming tug reports that the New York has captured a Spanish passenger steamer plying between Havana and Porto Rico.

Rather Startling Rumor.

London, April 23.—It is rumored here that the United States cruiser Topeka, formerly the Diogenes, foundered Tuesday night in collision with the bark Albatross.

SPANIARD CAPTURED.

Her Captain Was Astounded and Said He Did Not Know War Had Been Declared. Accepted Philosophically.

Key West, April 23.—Twelve miles off Sand Key light the United States fleet sighted the Spanish merchantman Buena Ventura, and she was promptly run down by the gunboat Nashville, which brought her to with a couple of shots.

A prize crew under Ensign T. P. Magruder was put aboard. Captain Lucarraga, in command of her, was astounded. He said he did not know that war had been declared; but when he was informed of the state of affairs he shrugged his shoulders and accepted the situation philosophically. The Nashville has taken on stores and will return to the fleet, carrying Ensign Magruder, who will be relieved by Ensign Carlton of the Snow.

A body of marines is pacing the deck of the Spaniard, and her crew of 28 are lounging about the docks in nonchalent fashion. Not a man is in irons. According to prize laws Captain Maynard will turn the prisoners of war over to the United States district attorney, who will decide the question of their disposition.

On excellent authority it is reported that the destination of the fleet is Matanzas. On board the flagship is Captain Aranguren, brother of the late Brigadier General Nestor Aranguren. He will pilot the fleet to Matanzas.

She Will Be Libeled.

Key West, April 23. — Commander Lyons of the Dolphin has delivered to United States District Attorney Stripling the papers of the Buena Ventura, captured by the Nashville. He will libel the ship in the usual way.

Prisoners Put to Work.

Key West, April 23.—The captain of the Buena Ventura was allowed to remain on his ship, but the crew were put to work shoveling coal on the Dolphin.

THE SINEWS OF WAR.

Measure Completed For Raising Revenue to Carry on the Conflict With the Spanish Savages.

Washington, April 23.—The war revenue measure was completed and sent to the printer by the Republican members of the ways and means committee.

It will be gone over again and probably submitted to the full committee Wednesday. Several questions are still open. The bill as now prepared, it is estimated, will raise between $95,000,000 and $100,000,000 annually.

The principal decision made was the definite determination not to place a tax upon either of the substitute, railroad and other transportation tickets or petroleum.

It was decided, however, to place a tax of 1 cent upon chewing gum and 4 cents upon mineral waters, ginger ale and foreign and native wines—2 cents on pints and 4 cents on quarts.

These additions are made to the stamp-tax act of 1866, which is re-enacted with modifications.

A tonnage tax, which is expected to raise $2,500,000, is also incorporated in the bill.

The addition of $1 per barrel upon beer is expected to raise $35,000,000.

The question of allowing a rebate on beer stamps is still open.

The doubling of the tobacco tax and the provision for a retail license of $4.80 cents are expected to raise $30,000,000, and the provisions of the stamp tax over $30,000,000.

Just Like Spaniards.

Paris, April 23.—The Libre Parole publishes a violent article attacking Great Britain's attitude toward Spain, and characterizing Great Britain as the "hypocritical accomplice of the United States." It says: "Their alliance is ignominy, but perhaps it is just as well that they should work together, for there will be a day when they will be called to account by international justice, and that day the British leech will be forced to disgorge and Europe will no longer tolerate the disgrace of allowing the law to be laid down by such assassins and malefactors as John Bull and Brother Jonathan."

War Will Be Declared.

Washington, April 23.—The president will send a message to congress suggesting that a declaration of war be passed. This action was hastened by the seizure of the Spanish merchantman off the Florida coast and the desire to prevent any possible complication. The right of the seizure of the Buena Ventura, however, is not questioned by the administration, since Spain herself accepted our ultimatum as a declaration of war.

Short of Ammunition.

New York, April 23.—Charles R. Flint & Company state that they have received a cable from their agents in Buenos Ayres, Eddy, Hall & Company, which says that the Spanish torpedo gunboat Temerario was preparing to go to sea. The message further says it is reported that the Temerario is short of ammunition and that she has been trying to secure some at Buenos Ayres.

Officially Correct.

London, April 23.—Great Britain's sympathy for America is, like Spanish diplomacy, officially correct. There is scarcely a public man or important newspaper that does not warmly support the United States. At the same time, in private conversation, there is much criticism of the United States, and indorsement of Spain is heard. There is much head-shaking over the result of the naval battle.

First Call For Volunteers.

Milwaukee, April 23.—A telegram received in this city from Grand Rapids announced that members of the Michigan National Guard have been called out for service. This is the first call upon state guard issued, and is in accordance with a promise made by Secretary Alger to the Michigan state troops.

Sacrifice For Liberty.

Rio Janeiro, April 23.—The Brazilian Jacobinos favor the United States in the coming war between that country and Spain. The Pais, the Jacobino organ, says: "We are with the United States, which is giving Europe a daring example of making sacrifices for a people's liberty.

She Wants Money.

London, O., April 23. — Miss Katie Fitzgerald, daughter of a prominent farmer of near Big Plain, this county, brought suit against W. P. Anderson, a wealthy farmer living near Kiousville, for $10,000 for breach of promise. Miss Fitzgerald had Anderson arrested some time ago for seduction.

Don't Neglect That Cold

No matter how slight it may seem to you, for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Influenza and apparently insignificant Chest Pains often lead to Pleurisy, Pneumonia, Consumption and other fatal Lung Diseases if neglected.

Avert All Danger by Promptly Applying a

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Jeweled Belts in Gold, Silver and Oxidized Metal only 25c.

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In all designs: Palm Leaves, Sheaves of Wheat, Immortelles, and many other flowers in beautiful designs.

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Will place on sale for the remainder of this week, a choice line of millinery and millinery trimmings.

Nice Bunch of Flowers for 10c.

Nicer Bunches for 15c, 17c, 19c and 25c. These flowers are the latest and best shades and colors, and come in linen, silk and velvet.

Complete line of Foliage, Ribbons, Chenille and Agrettes, black and white Wings. Green Grasses for standing trimmings.

Any lady desiring a nice Spring and Summer Hat, will find it to her advantage to call and see us before purchasing.

Ladies' Bazaar.

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For Carpets, Rugs, Portiers, Curtains, etc. One can will clean 25 yards of Carpet and it is guaranteed not to injure the most delicate fabric.

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Clothes Lines,	Wash Tubs,
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Stove Brushes,	Shoe Brushes,
Brooms,	Oil Cans,
Kitchen Lamps,	Lanterns,
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TWO TELEGRAMS

Conveying Condolence From Brown to Fenton

And Vice Versa---An Echo of the Interview With Congressman Fenton Published in the Times.

An echo of the Times' interview with Hon. L. J. Fenton came to light today in the shape of a couple of telegrams that passed between Mr. C. C. Brown and Lucien J. Fenton. Mr. Brown had been promised Mr. Fenton's endorsement, but the congressman failed to carry out his share of the agreement and Brown got left. Then when Mr. Brown read the Times' interview with Fenton, his soul rejoiced and he was exceeding glad. The result of this feeling was the following telegram:

Portsmouth, O., April 21.

L. J. Fenton, M. C., Washington, D. C.

Condolence. We are in the same boat. Both got left. Your comrade,
C. C. BROWN.

The message evidently touched Lucien J. in a tender spot and he came right back with this message:

Washington, D. C., April 21.

C. C. Brown, Portsmouth, O.

Condolence reciprocated. Your defeat seems to hurt you worse than mine does me. L. J. FENTON.

The only mean thing about Mr. Brown's message was that he forgot to put "Honorable" before Mr. Fenton's name. Doubtless he had reasons for doubting the applicability of the title to the Adams county man.

SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Mrs. Ida Turner May Lose an Eye, by a Stone Thrown by a Boy.

Mrs. Ida Turner was seriously injured about dusk yesterday evening at the residence of her father, August Frowine, 260 East Eleventh street, by some boys carelessly, or purposely, throwing stones. Mrs. Turner heard stone striking the house and stepped out on the porch to ascertain the cause. Just as she did so, a sharp stone struck her in the eye, breaking her glasses and seriously injuring the eye. Drs. Foster and Ray were called and rendered all assistance possible. The injury was very painful and may yet cause the loss of an eye. The boy who threw the stone is supposed to be Charles Fisher, ten or twelve years old. There is entirely too much of this careless stone throwing. Some of these boys who follow it should be arrested and severely punished and a stop put to it. Almost every day some one is hit by a stone thrown by some boy. It should be stopped.

Still One Dollar.

Those who have not taken advantage of the reduction in price for first-class cabinet photos at Willis & Sons, may yet do so. They are still making them for $1.00 per dozen. Remember the place, corner of Chillicothe and Eighth streets.

More Oxford Caps.

The Normal University opened its spring session this week with a flattering attendance. The faculty expect the enrollment to reach 150 by the 20th of May and are making preparations for that number. Every school is certainly rated by its corps of teachers, and it is only necessary to name Profs. Moothart, Clark, Frank Appel and J. H. Finney to give this institution a rating second to none. All of these gentlemen are successful and experienced teachers, and anyone thirsting for knowledge can get it from the most competent instructor. The rate is exceedingly low—one dollar per week—and a great many will take advantage of this opportunity to attend a good school at home.

Time to the Second.

A watch should be accurate if anything. A watch can be artistic. Ours are both. Watches from $2.50 up. Our prices are the lowest. Edw. Lee Feyler, 81 West Second street.

His Seventy-Second Birthday.

Mr. W. D. Barnett, the dry goods dealer on East Ninth street, reached the 72nd milestone of his life yesterday and celebrated the event in an informal way last evening. Mrs. O. B. Evans, of Columbus, Mr. Barnett's daughter came down to help celebrate the occasion and will be here for some days. Many friends of Mr. Barnett wish him more happy birthdays.

Wallpaper at wholesale or retail; light or dark, and for any sort of room at Treuthart's. Also window shades, stationary and blank-books at prices to suit and in satisfying varieties. Bargains may be expected. Second street, four doors above Market street, Portsmouth, O.

Choice trouserings at Blankemeyer, the Tailor's.

Notice to Fishermen.

Those who are fond of fishing should remember that H. D. Oberling has just received 40,000 Whitney fish hooks. They are the best. Go and see him if you want a good hook.

We have a complete line of bedroom suites, ranging in price from $13 to $60. There is nothing better in the city.
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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohio.—Showers; clearing tonight; Sunday generally fair, cooler in Southern portion.

A Large Funeral.

The funeral of Miss Mame Mullahey, which was held yesterday morning from the Holy Redeemer church, was very largely attended, showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held. The Young Ladies' Sodality attended the funeral in a body. Many beautiful floral tributes were received, among them being a fine piece from the Sodality.

TUESDAY

If in the City, Recruits of Company H Will Be Examined.

Capt. Prichard has received orders from regimental headquarters in Columbus that Dr. Wright, of Circleville will be sent to this city Tuesday if the local company is still in the city to examine the physical condition of the recruits of the company. The captain has been careful to select only big strong fellows and it is not probable that any of them will be turned down.

At the drill for recruits last night nearly all were present and showed great advancement in the manual of arms. There are none of the boys who fear being discharged. There are also several of the old members who were not examined when the physicians were here a few weeks ago. They will also be examined Tuesday.

For Sale.

Two brick dwelling houses, West Sixth street, city.

One frame house, East Sixth street.

Two frame houses, East Twelfth street.

One lot, 47x196 feet, East Gallia, near Harvard Place.

One lot, 35x180 feet, East Gallia, near Harvard Place.

Four lots, 30x120 feet, Gallia street, East End.

Fourteen lots, 30x120 feet, Eighth street, East End. Apply to
21-4t W. A. CONNOLLEY.

Will Soon Be Discharged.

Frank Lyons, the hobo, who was found floating down the river in an open boat a few days ago, is recovering rapidly. He will be discharged from the hospital tomorrow or Monday. A pair of wooden crutches was secured by the mayor this morning and sent out to the hospital.

Doors, sash, blinds and a full line of builders' hardware at J. C. Hibbs & Co.'s. Our prices are at rock bottom and goods the best on the market. 18-6t

Solid Gold Spectacles.

For $3.00 Warranted in every respect. Eyes examined free. Money back if not satisfactory. Best selection of spectacles in the city. Our prices are the lowest. Edw. Lee Feyler, optician, 81 West Second street.

Little Excitement in Cincinnati.

Robert Clare was in Cincinnati yesterday on business. He says there was little excitement there over the war, although there were big crowds about the newspaper office bulletins.

Special pains taken with ladies' shirt waists at the American Steam Laundry. Give us your work and we will guarantee you satisfaction.
ZOTTMAN BROS.

Whist Club Meeting.

The Married Ladies' Whist club was entertained this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Henry T. Bannon by Mrs. L. C. Damarin.

Combination writing desk and book-case in quartered oak and imitation mahogany—the latest thing out and at prices to suit anyone.
J. B. NICHOLS, JR., & CO.

Funeral Services.

The funeral services of the late John D. Feurt will take place at the family residence, five miles north of the city, at 10 o'clock, standard time, tomorrow (Sunday) morning.

Ice cream for Sunday dinner. Get it of the Portsmouth Ice Cream Co., No. 708 Chillicothe street, or call up telephone No. 762.

Changes in All Saints.

Changes are now in progress at All Saints church for the accommodation of the new vested choir. These will be completed in a few days.

We make a specialty of repairing high-grade watches and French clocks. C. H. HARRIS, Jeweler,
412 Chillicothe street.

Lucky Number.

The throw chanced off by Mrs. Frank Schwartz, of Market street, was won by T. C. Lewis, of Hamden, O., the lucky number being 77.

Muth's bread is the best. Lay in a supply tomorrow for Sunday. It keeps well and does not get stale as quick as other bread. The Portsmouth Ice Cream Co. sell it, at 708 Chillicothe street, or from their wagon. Telephone 762.

Use "Superior" Canned Corn.

For five wrappers we will send you free our booklet, "How to Cook Canned Goods." SEARS & NICHOLS.

W. A. Plummer, monuments, 295 Gallia street.

Reduced Prices.

Commencing on Monday morning, April 25th, we will offer the following reductions in Dress Goods, Ladies' Tailor Made Suits and Silk Skirts. These are all fresh, new goods of this season's purchase and is a bonafide reduction from the prices at which we have been selling these goods, but the season for selling is getting short, while your season for wearing is just fairly opened, so this is an opportune time for purchasers.

Fine Novelty Dress Patterns

Sixty of these, no two alike, of the choicest imported goods of this season.

$10.00, $11.00 and $12.00 Patterns reduced to.....$7.98
$8.00 and $9.00 Patterns reduced to..... 5.98
$7.50 and $8.00 Patterns reduced to..... 4.98
$6 00 and $7.00 Patterns reduced to..... 3.98

This is a great opportunity to secure a fine dress for very little money.

Fine 44 inch Poplins in all the new shades reduced from 75c to 59c per yard.

For 15c a yard we offer a line of Figured Mohairs and fancy mixtures which were formerly 25c and 29c.

For 25c a yard are Plaids, neat Checks and fancy mixtures, many of them were formerly 35c, 39c and 50c a yard.

For 19c a yard a large variety of Fancies, Checks, etc., formerly 25c, 35c and 39c.

For 39c a yard a beautiful line of Fancies, new Plaids, Checks, reduced from 50c.

43 inch wool corded Reps in all the new shades, reduced from $1.00 to 83c.

Lace Curtains

We are showing the greatest values in Lace Curtains ever offered. Very fine wide Curtains at $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 per pair.

Ladies' Tailor Made Suits

At Reduced Prices.

A beautiful line of ready made suits to select from at the following reductions.

$6.50 Suits reduced to.....$ 5.00
$7.50 Suits reduced to..... 6.00
$8.00 and $8.50 Suits reduced to..... 7.00
$10.00 Suits reduced to..... 8.00
$12.00 Suits reduced to..... 10.00
$15.00 Suits reduced to..... 12.50

Satin Derby Portiers

In new designs of splendid values at $2.00, $3.00, 4.00, $5.00 a pair.

Beautiful combinations in Cotton Plaids, worth 10c and 12½c for 8½c.

Silk Skirts.

Our fine Black Silk Skirts reduced as follows:

$8.00 Black Silk Skirts reduced to.....$7.00
$9.50 and $9.75 Black Silk Skirts reduced to..... 8.00
$9.00 Black Silk Skirts reduced to..... 7.50
$10.00 Black Silk Skirts reduced to..... 8.50

THE YARD WIDE BROWN MUSLINS we are selling at 3c, 3½c and 4c a yard are attracting many buyers. Don't you want some?

G. W. ANDERSON & SONS,

Damarin Block, Corner Second and Court Sts.

SPECIAL

UNDERWEAR SALE

At The Parisian.

25 doz. Ribbed Ladies' Vests, regular 10c quality, while they last at 5c.

40 doz. ribbed Ladies' Vests, silk taped, well worth 15c, this week for 10c.

Lisle Thread Ladies' Vests that you can not match for less than 25c for 15c.

Summer Corsets 25c.

39c will buy a Corset that you cannot buy anywhere under 50c.

See our Summer Corsets in White and Drab, the best thing on the market for the money. Regular 75c value for 50c.

Special low prices on Ladies' Misses' and Children's Hosiery.

PARISIAN

Cloak & Dry Goods Co.,

75 West Second Street.

SATURDAY SPECIALS.

Tomorrow We Will Put On Sale

20 doz. Steel Rod Umbrellas, regular price 75c, at 49c each.

10 doz. Shirt Waists, perfect fitting, made to sell for $1.00, will go at 49c.

40 doz. Ladies' Seamless Black Hose, worth 12½c a pair, will go at 8c a pair.

30 doz. Ladies' Seamless Vests, made to sell for 10c, will go at 5c each.

Ladies' Wrappers made to sell for $1.00, will go at 69c each.

5 different styles of Jewel Belts, regular price 50c, will go at 25c each.

Big special in Ribbons, Taffetas, Moires, Checks, Stripes, extra wide, at 10c, 12½c 15c, 18c, 20c, 23c, and 25c a yard.

ed Spreads, regular 75c spread will go at 53c each.

36 inch Percales, big assortment, regular price 12½c, at 8c a yard.

Big assortment of Laces from 1c a yard upwards. See our line of Oriental Cream Laces at 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c and 10c a yard, worth from 15c to 25c per yard.

Curtain Scrims, Swisses and Netting, special prices from 5c per yard upwards.

Window Shades, all colors, complete, 10c each.

Our entire second floor devoted to Lace Curtains. Big assortment at special prices.

BIG CORSET SALE—Regular 50c Corsets will go at 25c each Regular 75c Corsets, extra good quality, will go at 49c each.

Steahly Bros.,

313 Chillicothe St., - Bet Third and Fourth.